

The Social World

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Traditional Party Honors Job's Queen

Miss Carol Maloy, senior princess of Torrance Bethel 50 of Job's Daughters entertained with the traditional party and linen shower complimenting Honored Queen Janice Crabtree.

The party was given at the home of the hostess's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Malloy, 1762 Gramercy, which had been beautifully decorated in the Queen's chosen colors, yellow and white.

A profusion of yellow and white chrysanthemums were used at advantage points and a huge white cake decorated in yellow and white inscribed with the honoree's name centered the dining table.

After the presentation of linen gifts, refreshments were served. Attending the party were: Sharry Harney, Linda Lane, Sally Specht, Judy and Diane Allen, Bonnie Kall, Judy Cook, Diane Cook, Jeanette Wright, Janalee Bristol, Carol Maloy, Marjorie Rasmussen, Georgia Roades, Peggy Balch, Peggy Sprout, Ellen McCune, Carla Cramer, Donna Lewis, Pat McNeese, Rene Bradford, Marilyn Moss, Beverly Sowle, Esther Van Wagner, Mrs. Ed Thayne and Mrs. Maloy.

Donna Stepp-Andrew Larson Wed at Methodist Church

In the Torrance Methodist church last Saturday afternoon, Nov. 6, at 2 o'clock, Miss Donna Stepp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stepp, 20610 Oak Ave., was married to Andrew Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Larson of Cheney Washington.

As the wedding guests gathered Miss Sue Messerl sang a medley of nuptial music including "The Lord's Prayer," "Because and Through the Years."

The bridesmaids wearing bouffant taffeta gowns in shades of green carried bouquets of chrysanthemums in the fall hues.

Next in line was the matron of honor Mrs. Robert Klageses, sister of the bride. Her gown was rust colored taffeta and she carried a cascade bouquet of fall chrysanthemums.

Then came the bride on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. She was picturesque in a billowy wedding gown of white. Chantilly lace and tulle. Her fingertip veil fell from a pearl and net tiara and she carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and stephanotis.

The bride and her father were met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, Robert Klageses. Ushers were Arthur Pierce and Robert Hooser.

After the ceremony, which was solemnized by the Rev. John Taylor, a reception was held at the Klageses home 2713 Monterey.

The couple are now on a honeymoon in Palm Springs and Las Vegas. Their new home will be in Long Beach.

The bride was educated in Minneapolis, Minn. She is now employed by an insurance company in Long Beach.

The bridegroom attended school in Washington and is now serving with the United States Marines, stationed at Camp Pendleton.



MRS. ANDREW LARSON ... former Donna Stepp

June McCann-Larry Giddings Wed in Candlelight Service

On Friday evening, Oct. 29 in the Narbonne Baptist church, two hundred guests gathered for the wedding of Miss June McCann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. McCann, 1648 W. 253rd St., and Larry Allen Giddings, of 1211 El Prado, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Giddings of Michigan.

Escorted to the altar by her father who gave her in marriage, the bride wore a ballerina-length wedding gown of Chantilly lace and net over taffeta. It was designed with a fitted lace bodice, long sleeves and a full skirt of lace and net over taffeta. Her short veil fell from a halo of tulle.

Completing the bridal ensemble was a fan shaped bouquet of carnations and orchids. Miss Shirley Darlene McCann, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. She wore a cotillion blue gown made with a lace bodice and an overskirt of net and lace over taffeta. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

Little Danny Lynn Cheek in a bouffant gown of yellow taffeta and carried a basket of rose petals was the flower girl.

Candles were lighted by Misses Vicki Brown and Sandra Jackson who wore gowns of yellow net and taffeta. Jim Ed Ruffin was best man and ushers were Ted McWald and Robert Dearborn.

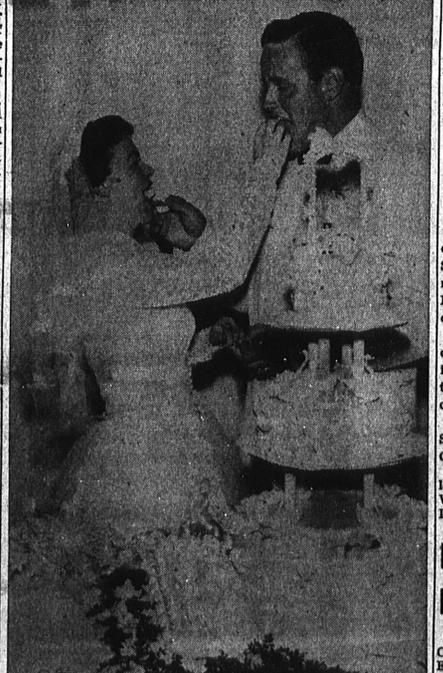
Proceeding and during the ceremony, accompanied by Marlene Cornthwaite, organist, William Turman sang "Because," "Always" and "The Lord's Prayer." The Rev. Robert E. Wells officiated at the ceremony before an altar decorated with white baskets filled with white chrysanthemums and flanked with white candles.

A reception was held in the church social hall. Assisting were Mrs. Robert Dearborn, Mrs. Charles Meeker, Misses Betty Crossman and Louise Patterson. The couple then left for a honeymoon at Big Bear. They are now at home at 1211 El Prado, Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of the Narbonne High school and attended Harbor Junior College. She is now employed at the Prudential Life Ins. Co. here.

The bridegroom was graduated from the Manatee County High school in Florida. He served three years with the United States Marines, 14 months of which were spent in Korea. He is now employed by the Northrop Aircraft in Hawthorne.

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Garden Authority Gives Talk

Joe Littlefield, of radio and television, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Torrance Women's Club Wednesday afternoon. "Garden Chats" was his topic and he gave interesting hints on gardening and especially the care of roses and carnations.

After this talk, a climber carnation and a prize rose were given as door prizes to Mrs. W. I. Laughon and Mrs. C. E. Cook. A business session preceded the lecture and was conducted by Mrs. Ray Rogers, president. A silver tea followed. The table was decorated with bronze and yellow chrysanthemums flanked with yellow candles.

Juniorettes Society to Plan Program

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Juniorettes met at the home of Delyna Smith Monday evening to plan a model meeting which will be held Nov. 15 for rushies at the home of Jackie Allen.

Charter members are working on Christmas favors for children in hospitals. Social activities for the next three months were discussed.

The group also enjoyed a party Saturday evening at the home of Carol Sue Jackson. In the group were: Jackie Allen, Joyce Hutchinson, Sara Sue Ward, Carol Sue Jackson and Delyna Smith.

Eastern Star Has Meeting

Thursday evening, Torrance Chapter No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular stated meeting in the Masonic Temple on Sartori Ave. The worthy patron, Vincent Vienne, called the meeting to order, and worthy matron, Florence Vienne, presided. A short business session was held, during which committee reports were given, and also reports of the recent Grand Chapter sessions in Oakland were given by Worthy Matron Florence Vienne, Associate Matron Phyllis Peveley and Vivian Cook, past matron and secretary of the chapter.

Mrs. Margaret Clark was chairman for the social hour which followed the meeting. Tables in the banquet hall were attractively decorated with chrysanthemums in fall shades. Delicious refreshments were served by the committee, composed of the following: Mrs. Carol Galbreath, Mrs. Eileen Pulliam and Mrs. Edna Caldwell.

WEEK-END TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. John Mascola and daughter Sharon, of 1323 Anapala Ave., spent last weekend visiting Mrs. Mascola's cousins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Younkis. The Younkis live in Mesa Grande, which is on an Indian reservation known as Santa Ysabel Land Lease, just out of San Diego.

COMMUNITY SING

North Torrance Voters will sponsor their first community sing, open to the public, Saturday Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at 1812 Ashley Ave. In addition to the community singing there will be entertainment, refreshments and door prizes. With this sing, North Torrance Voters begin a "get-acquainted with your neighbor" program.



MRS. CLARENCE NILSSON ... lovely Saturday bride

Lane-Nilsson Wedding at Holy Trinity Saturday

Wearing a traditional white satin wedding gown, Miss Marjorie Marie Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lane, 951 Summerland, San Pedro, plighted her marriage vows with Clarence Nilsson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Nilsson, 25814 Reed Ave., Lomita, in a ceremony and nine o'clock nuptial mass at the Holy Trinity Catholic church in San Pedro last Saturday morning.

Mr. Lane escorted his daughter to the altar. Her gown was fashioned with a fitted bodice of satin and tulle with a Dior neckline. The full satin skirt fell into a chapel train and over the satin were two overskirts of tulle. Satin flowers were applied on the bodice and two panels of white lace extended down the front and back of the skirt. The bride veil cascaded from a pearl and net tiara. White orchids and stephanotis formed the bride bouquet. A crystal rosary, a gift from the bride's two sisters, Carolyn and Patricia, encircled the orchids.

Heading the bridal entourage were the bridesmaid, Miss Joyce Webb, cousin, and two junior bridesmaids Stella Frank, also a cousin, and Carolyn Lane, a sister. Miss Webb was in aqua taffeta and carried a nosegay of pink roses and yellow carnations. The juniors wore in lavender taffeta and carried the same color nosegays.

Miss Margaret Bonaga was the maid of honor. Her gown was of yellow taffeta and her bouquet was of yellow roses and aqua carnations. Little Patricia Lane, the bride's sister, wearing pink blue ruffled organza carried pink and aqua roses from a basket in the path of the bride.

The bride and her father were met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, Gus Frank, uncle of the bride. Guests were seated by Art Nunzio, Jay Crawford, Donald Campbell and Ray Betts. The Rev. George Gallagher officiated at the vow exchange and read the mass.

A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webb on South Walker and the couple left for their honeymoon. The future home will be established in San Pedro. Both the bride and the bridegroom are graduates of the San Pedro High school. Mr. Nilsson served two years with the army in Korea.

Educators at State Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rehwoldt and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hamilton are expected home today from San Jose where they went last Saturday to attend the state conference for California Assn. of School Supervisors and Child Welfare. Mr. Hamilton is director of Special Services and Mr. Rehwoldt is director of instruction in the Torrance School system.

Mr. Rehwoldt participated in a two day panel on high school curriculum. His topic was "Combining subjects at the High school level."

MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. A. J. Stratten and Robert Woodard on Oct. 21 in Los Angeles. The couple is now at home at 857 5th St., Hermosa Beach.

A reception was given in honor of the couple last Sunday by Mrs. Woodard's sister, Mrs. Tom Norman at 2804 Redondo Beach.



MISS CHARLENE GRACE ... future bride-elect

Charlene Grace-Jerry Vinnig Plan Late January Nuptials

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKnight of 1314 Greenwood are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Charlene Grace to Jerry Vinnig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vinnig of 5919 Kings Road, Los Angeles.

Miss Grace, a sophomore student at the University of California, Santa Barbara, was a member of the Torrance High school graduating class, 1953. She was active in Tartar Ladies, Girls' Athletic Association, student council and was song queen. She is now an elementary education major at Santa Barbara.

Mr. Vinnig is attending SC at Los Angeles where he is a fine arts major. He is also a member of Trojan Knights and is affiliated with Lambda Chi fraternity. Both Miss Grace and Mr. Vinnig plan to continue their education following their wedding which will take place the latter part of January.

VISITS MOTHER

Robert F. Young, airman first class, spent a recent week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Leonard Young, 2385 Eldorado. Robert is stationed at the Nellis Air Force Base in Nevada.

FORMER RESIDENTS HOST TO CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Winner of Crestline, formerly of Torrance, entertained the Breakfast Club Sunday afternoon. The group enjoyed dinner at Currie's Santa Fe and returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fess, 1729 Arlington Ave., for cards.

In the group with the hosts were: Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Postum, Messrs. and Mrs. Ludwig Miller, John E. Miller, Fred Beaver, Archer Lewis, Dave Jones, Abe Shriner, William Childs, F. L. Parks, Stanley Morris, and John Fess.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY

Recently organized Delphian Society will meet Nov. 18 in the lecture room at the Torrance library at 10 a.m.

LIONS AND WIVES ATTEND MEETINGS

Attending the Harbor Regional party of the Lions Club at the Officers Club at Port MacArthur Thursday evening were the following Torrance Lions and their wives, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Mooshore, Dr. and Mrs. Rolin Smith, Messrs. and Mrs. Warren W. Hamilton, Paul Diamond, and Albert Best. District Governor Charles Roberts was the speaker.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Lisman and daughter, Barbara, of 1008 Post Ave., are spending two weeks at their cabin in Clearview near June Lake.

Elect Officers Triple T Club Dance Nov. 13

As the final affair for this year's committee, the Triple T Dance Club will entertain Saturday evening with a dance at the La Venta Inn in Palos Verdes. Les Trosnier's orchestra will provide the music. Members of this committee are Dr. and Mrs. R. Bingham, Messrs. and Mrs. D. J. Thomson, Lester King, and Al Ewalt. The new committee for the coming year consists of Dr. and Mrs. R. Bingham, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Bauman, Messrs. and Mrs. J. E. Stavert and Robert Jewell.

HOUSEGUESTS

Mrs. Leonard Young, 2385 Eldorado, is entertaining as her houseguests her sisters and her husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Boyce and Dr. and Mrs. James L. Hammond, all of Denver, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce will be here for three weeks while Dr. and Mrs. Hammond are planning a six-month visit.

FROM LAS VEGAS

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dyers, 2538 Onrado, returned Tuesday from a week's stay at Las Vegas.